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# NEWPORT

NEW HAMPSHIRE

## *Annual Reports*



FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1961

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## Board of Selectmen



Philip G. Hackwell

Maurice H. Cummings,  
Chairman

John C. Fairbanks

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# TOWN and SCHOOL ANNUAL REPORTS

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### **1961 TOWN REPORT COVER**

An unusually outstanding photograph of the little common taken in 1961. The flowers were planted and taken care of by the Beautification Committee. (Photo by Don Eggleston).

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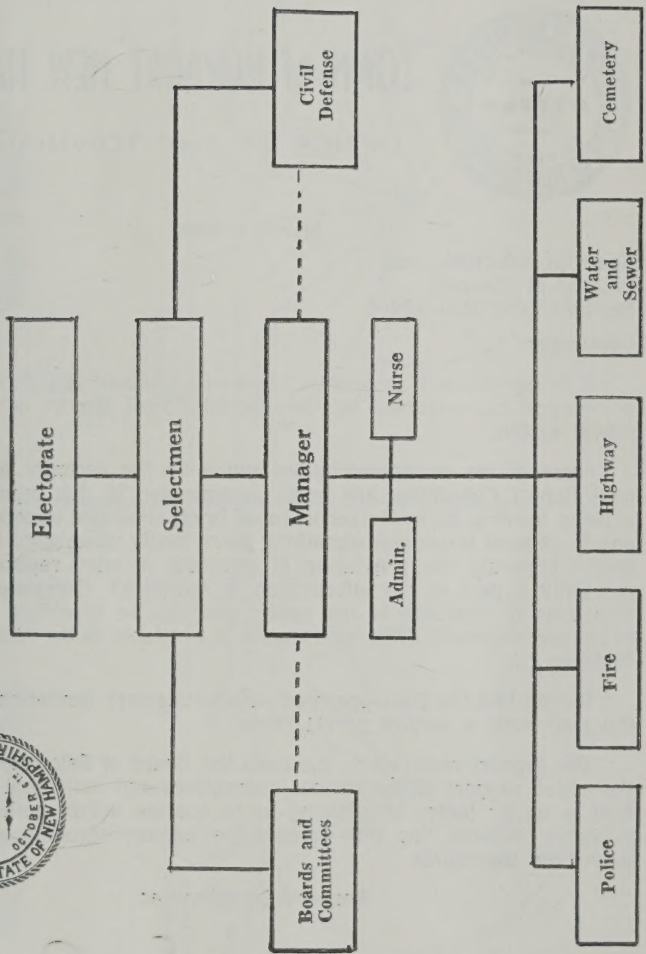
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## TOWN OFFICERS

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Moderator	Harry V. Spanos
Selectmen	Maurice H. Cummings, Chairman John C. Fairbanks Philip G. Hackwell
Town Manager	Alvin A. Heidner
Tax Collector	Bertha M. Osborne
Town Clerk	Sophie G. Rego
Town Treasurer	Earle A. Pollard
Supervisors of Check List	Howard C. Bennett, Chairman Myron Tenny Russell Gardner
Board of Fire Wards	Herbert H. Wright, Chief Fire Ward Edward J. Karr, Senior Fire Ward Robert E. Darling, Junior Fire Ward
Chief of Police	Alexander P. Lewko
Dog Warden	Charles Robertson
Budget Committee	Charles I. Anderson James Saggiotes Rita McGowan Kenneth E. Shaw George Dane Winston Hurd Donald Martin Robert Bates Leonard M. Perkinson Philip G. Hackwell Natalie Moore
Trustees of Trust Funds	Leslie M. Pike, Treasurer Raymond Eggleston Austin Corbett
Public Health Nurse	Mrs. Margaret E. Grantham, R.N.
Civil Defense	Louis Willett

# Organization Chart Town of Newport





## MANAGERS' REPORT



## TOWN of NEWPORT NEW HAMPSHIRE

OFFICE OF THE TOWN MANAGER

March 1, 1962

Board of Selectmen and  
Citizens of Newport  
Newport, New Hampshire

Gentlemen:

It is my pleasure to present to you this Annual Report for the Town of Newport accompanied by the Annual School Report of the Newport school system.

Some of the recommendations made by the recently appointed Annual Report Committee are being incorporated in this report. An effort is being made to make the report more brief, eliminate unnecessary detail, and in general to present something more easily understood by all. Space does not permit the presenting of complete detailed reports and therefore only a part of the information is submitted. Complete detailed information is available to the public and will be furnished at any time to anyone interested. This information is available in the Municipal Office Building.

During 1961 the Town operated within budgetary limitation and finished the year with a surplus of \$11,000.00.

The support received by me from the Board of Selectmen, as well as the added support of the various committees and individual citizens, has been a major factor in allowing us to operate within authorized appropriations. Without this fine support the accomplishments of 1961 would have been impossible.

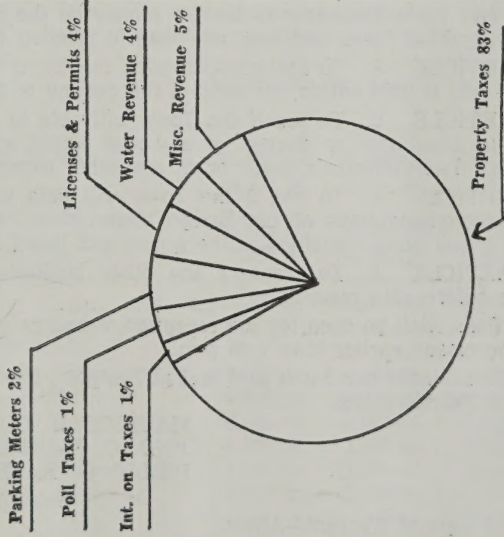
Respectfully submitted,

ALVIN A. HEIDNER,  
Town Manager

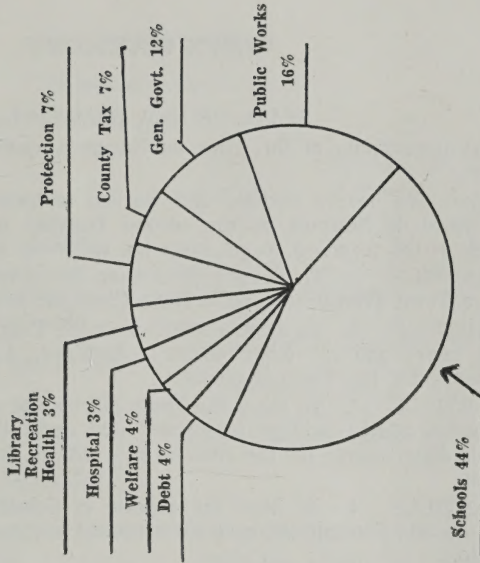


# The Budget Dollar

Where It Comes From



Where It Goes To



## TOWN WARRANT

### STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Newport, qualified to vote on Town Affairs:

Your are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Town Hall in said Town of Newport on the second Tuesday of March next at nine o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

ARTICLE 1. To elect a Selectman for a term of three years; to elect a Town Treasurer; and a Town Clerk for the ensuing year.

ARTICLE 2. To elect a member of the Trust Fund Commission for three years and all other officers, Auditors, Agents and Committees necessary for the Town Business.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to employ State Auditors to inspect and audit the books of the Town and its departments for the ensuing year and to pass any vote in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 4. To hear the reports of Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Auditors and Committees heretofore chosen and pass any vote in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and Town Treasurer to borrow money on the notes of the Town in anticipation of taxes and pass any vote in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 6. To see what discount the Town will vote to allow on 1962 taxes if paid within ten days of the posting of the Tax Invoice.

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of any real estate acquired by the Town through Tax Collector's deeds or in any other manner.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to approve and adopt the recommendations of the Budget Committee, raise and appropriate the various sums contained in the report and listed in the Budget.

ARTICLE 9. To transact any other business which may legally come before said meeting.

(Polls shall be open for the reception of ballots at 9:30 a.m. and shall not be closed earlier than 7:00 p.m.)

Given under our hands and seal at Newport, New Hampshire this 21st day of February 1962.

MAURICE H. CUMMINGS  
JOHN C. FAIRBANKS  
PHILIP G. HACKWELL

Selectmen of Newport, N.H.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

MAURICE H. CUMMINGS  
JOHN C. FAIRBANKS  
PHILIP G. HACKWELL

Selectmen of Newport, N.H.

## 1962 BUDGET

## Newport, N.H.

	Appro- piation 1961	Expendi- tures 1961	Estimate 1962
<b>A. GENERAL GOVERNMENT</b>			
A.1 Town officers' salaries	\$11,965 00	\$11,833 00	\$12,715 00
A.2 Town officers' expenses	12,320 00	11,836 78	12,770 00
A.3 Election & registration	389 00	365 20	1,200 00
A.4 Municipal Court	1,500 00	1,470 00	1,500 00
A.5 Expenses town hall & other bldgs.	9,488 00	9,524 58	10,600 00
Total A.	\$35,662 00	\$35,029 56	\$38,785 00
<b>B. PROTECTION OF PERSONS &amp; PROPERTY</b>			
B.1 Police Department	\$27,511 00	\$28,031 97	\$28,924 00
B.2 Fire Department	19,436 00	19,471 32	20,690 00
B.3 Care of Trees	1,600 00	1,310 25	1,800 00
B.4 Insurance	6,401 00	5,949 69	6,453 00
B.5 Civil Defense	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
Total B.	\$55,948 00	\$55,763 23	\$58,867 00
<b>C. HEALTH</b>			
C.1 Public Health Nurse	\$3,050 00	\$2,858 23	\$3,415 00
C.2 Hospital	20,000 00	20,000 00	20,000 00
C.3 Town Dump—Garbage Removal	4,450 00	4,336 53	4,603 00
C.4 Sewer Maintenance	3,700 00	1,790 66	2,470 00
Total C.	\$31,200 00	\$28,985 42	\$30,488 00
<b>D. HIGHWAYS &amp; BRIDGES</b>			
D.1 General Expenses—highway	\$11,865 00	\$15,090 93	\$13,251 00
D.2 Town Maint.—Summer	36,920 00	34,020 53	36,500 00
D.3 Town Maint.—Winter	16,575 00	16,969 96	17,965 00
D.4 Town Road Aid	1,232 00	1,221 87	1,225 71
D.5 State Aid Constr. Apport. "B"	3,350 00	3,350 00	3,350 00
D.6 New Equipment—Highway	5,000 00	5,000 00	
Total D.	\$74,942 00	\$75,653 29	\$72,291 71
<b>E. LIBRARIES</b>			
Total E.	\$5,750 00	\$5,750 00	\$7,300 00



	Appropriation 1961	Expenditures 1961	Estimate 1962
F. PUBLIC WELFARE			
F.1 Town Poor	\$10,000 00	\$9,860 17	\$10,000 00
F.2 Old Age Assistance	12,500 00	12,646 59	13,000 00
F.3 Old Age Assistance-Aliens	912 00	1,224 47	1,200 00
F.4 Aid to Totally Disabled	783 00	1,160 01	1,200 00
F.5 Surplus Food Distribution	850 00	1,433 05	1,400 00
Total F.	\$25,045 00	\$26,324 29	\$26,800 00
G. PATRIOTIC PURPOSES			
G.1 Memorial Day & Vets' Assoc.	\$325 00	\$288 78	\$300 00
G.2 Aid to Soldiers & their families	1,200 00	390 34	500 00
Total G.	\$1,525 00	\$679 12	\$800 00
H. RECREATION			
H.1 Parks	\$350 00	\$484 04	\$500 00
H.2 Playgrounds	1,467 00	1,600 18	2,000 00
H.3 Recreation Center	500 00	*500 00	500 00
H.4 Skating Rink	550 00	568 54	650 00
H.5 Band Concerts	250 00	305 33	400 00
Total H.	\$3,117 00	\$3,458 09	\$4,050 00
* surplus			
I. PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISE			
I.1 Water Department	\$15,955 00	\$17,230 12	\$16,757 00
I.2 Cemeteries	6,515 00	5,987 53	6,000 00
Total I.	\$22,470 00	\$23,217 65	\$22,757 00
J. UNCLASSIFIED			
J.1 Damages & Legal Expenses	\$800 00	\$186 00	\$200 00
J.2 New Hampshire Retirement	717 00	327 91	825 00
J.3 County Tax	39,309 87	39,309 87	40,000 00
J.4 Christmas Lighting	300 00	300 00	300 00
J.5 Social Security	2,800 00	3,161 09	3,300 00
J.6 Adv. & Regional Asso. (surplus	800 00	800 00	1,078 00
J.7 Street Lighting	12,500 00	11,769 60	12,500 00
J.8 200th Anniversary Expense	6,000 00	4,246 96	
J.9 Planning Consultant			3,000 00
Total J.	\$63,226 87	\$60,601 43	\$61,203 00
L. INTEREST ON DEBT			
L.1 On Temporary Loans	\$1,500 00	\$874 11	\$1,500 00
L.2 On Long Term Notes	700 25	700 25	661 50
L.3 On Bonded Debt	2,816 25	2,908 80	2,320 75
Total L.	\$5,016 50	\$4,483 16	\$4,482 25

	Appropriation 1961	Expenditures 1961	Estimate 1962
<b>M. PAYMENT ON PRINCIPAL OF DEBT</b>			
M.1 Long Term Notes	\$1,500 00	\$1,500 00	\$1,300 00
M.2 Bonds	22,000 00	22,000 00	18,000 00
Total M.	\$23,500 00	\$23,500 00	\$19,300 00
GRAND TOTALS:	\$348,402 37	\$343,445 24	\$347,123 96

## ESTIMATED INCOME

	Estimated 1961	Received 1961	Estimated 1962
<b>A. FROM STATE</b>			
1. Interest and Dividend Tax	\$12,322 59	\$12,322 59	\$12,322 00
2. Railroad Tax	500 00	158 87	500 00
3. Savings Bank Tax	1,261 15	1,261 15	1,261 00
<b>B. FROM LOCAL SOURCES</b>			
1. Dog Licenses	\$1,300 00	\$1,298 75	\$1,300 00
2. Business Licenses & Permits	350 00	359 00	350 00
3. Fines & Forfeits Municipal Court	2,000 00	1,883 30	1,900 00
4. Town's Share of Head Taxes	1,200 00	1,410 00	1,162 00
5. Rent of Town Hall	100 00	93 00	100 00
6. Interest on Taxes	5,000 00	5,370 25	5,000 00
7. Income from Departments			
Cemetery	2,600 00	2,600 00	2,600 00
Police (Meters)	10,500 00	9,980 72	10,000 00
Town Hall Heating Plant	3,600 00	3,600 00	3,600 00
Town Clerk's Fees	1,400 00	1,429 13	1,500 00
8. 200th Anniversary	3,000 00	2,741 51	
<b>C. FROM MUNICIPAL UTILITIES</b>			
1. Water Department	\$27,000 00	\$28,146 01	\$27,000 00
2. Water Department—Interest	100 00	81 82	75 00
D. MOTOR VEHICLE PERMIT FEES	\$27,500 00	\$31,972 72	\$28,000 00
E. TIMBER TAX	\$500 00	\$1,105 38	\$500 00
<b>F. LOCAL TAXES OTHER THAN PROPERTY</b>			
1. Poll Taxes	\$4,000 00	\$2,732 00	\$4,000 00
2. National Bank Stock Taxes	1,359 00	1,359 00	1,359 00
TOTALS:	\$105,592 74	\$109,905 20	\$102,529 00

## PROGRESS REPORT—1961

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### SOME OF THE PROJECTS COMPLETED DURING THE YEAR:

Portion of Sunapee Street and North Main Street resurfaced.  
 Drainage pipe installed vicinity of Little League field.  
 Equipment sheds constructed for Highway Department.  
 New street lights installed on North Main Street to Junior High.  
 Completed off-street parking lot—Mechanic Street.  
 Completed engineering survey of town sewers.  
 Rebuilt approximately 1 mile Bradford Road on T.R.A.

### PLANS FOR THE IMMEDIATE FUTURE

Begin work on master plan for Town.  
 Resurface Main Street from Common to Bridge.  
 Carry out Tree Committee recommendation.  
 Continue chloride program on graveled roads.  
 Oil black top roads as needed.  
 Rebuild balance of Bradford road to East Mountain.

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## LIST OF BOARDS AND COMMITTEES

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### PLANNING BOARD

Soterios Saggiotes  
 George Dorr

Albert J. Gauthier  
 Evan Hill

Philip Hackwell

Appointed by Board of Selectmen early in 1961. Currently engaged in interviewing Planning Consultants preliminary to the development of a long range planning program for the town.

### BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE

Lou Thompson, Chairman  
 Donald Eggleston, Treasurer  
 Oliver Kathan  
 Joshua Hirsch

Mrs. Earl Lovering  
 Mrs. Harry Radford  
 Mrs. Helen Hurd  
 Mrs. Edna Eggleston

A completely voluntary organization which has been very active in carrying out beautification projects throughout the town.



**TREE COMMITTEE**

Toivo White  
Oliver Kathan

Lawrence Whitney  
Harry Woodard

Raymond Holden

Submitted report to Selectmen recommending spraying, feeding and trimming program to prolong the life and enhance the beauty of trees in Town. Report received and approved.

**TOWN REPORT COMMITTEE**

Edward DeCourcy  
Lou Thompson

Raymond Barrett  
Mrs. Raymond Holden

This committee has recommended many changes in the format for the Annual Town Report. Some recommendations are included in this report, others will follow.

**BI-CENTENNIAL COMMITTEE**

Arthur Bergeron  
Maurice J. Downing

Harry Woodard  
Frank Winter

Henry Mahoney

This committee appointed by the Board of Selectmen and with the assistance of a large number of volunteers carried out plans for the Bi-Centennial in 1961. An outstanding accomplishment.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT**

The Police Department activities followed very closely the pattern of previous years. A tremendous amount of detailed work was involved in investigations of complaints, traffic violations and many other miscellaneous items. One police officer was seriously injured in December while directing traffic at the scene of an accident.

Some of the 1961 statistics are listed below:

Complaints received	969
Traffic accidents investigated	130
Persons injured in traffic accidents	37
Traffic fatalities	1
Suicides	0
Doors and windows found unlocked and secured	124
Persons accepted for night lodging	27
Street lights found out and reported	135
Lost property recovered & returned to owners	\$315.00
Stolen property recovered & returned to owners	\$4,500.00
Prisoners taken to House of Correction in Unity	6
Emergency messages delivered	51

Bank escorts	665
Persons taken to hospital in cruiser	14
Persons taken to St. Hospital in Concord	1
Persons held for other departments	0
Bicycles registered	290
Juveniles investigated	11

Crimes and Violations:

1. Crimes against Property	12
2. Crimes against Persons	25
3. Crimes against Public Policy	13
4. Crimes against Chastity, Morality and Good Order	57
5. Violations of Motor Vehicle Laws	154

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## FIRE DEPARTMENT

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In the year 1961 there was a total loss, due to fires, of approximately \$25,000 in value. This is considerably lower than the \$40,000 loss in 1960. A total of 105 calls were answered, the principal types of fire being chimney, oil burners, cars and so forth.

No new equipment was added during the year but some rather extensive repairs were made to the Reo truck. New lettering was installed on the front of the fire station. Altogether, a good year for the department.

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## HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

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This department was engaged primarily in normal operations throughout the year. These included the continuation of our Calcium Chloride program for graveled roads and an oiling program for the hard surface roads in the compact area. Winter activities were normal consisting almost entirely of plowing highways, removing snow, keeping streets clear with the use of salt and opening drains where necessary. Considerable amount of brush was cut as this part of the highway maintenance had been neglected for several years.

The following new equipment was purchased:

- 1 snow plow
- 1 snow plow wing
- 1 salt spreader
- 1 new Dodge truck
- 1 small Litter Shark

## WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT

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No major projects were undertaken during the year, however, one emergency repair was made to a 12 inch main near the reservoir on East Mountain. Other repairs were made to our chlorinator equipment and control valves at the meter house on Unity Road. The reservoir on East Mountain was drained and cleaned during the spring. The winter months were very busy due to an extremely large number of freeze-ups which were thawed electrically. One new piece of equipment was added in the purchase of a welding machine to be used for the thawing of frozen pipes.

Some of the accomplishments during the year were as follows:

- 11 plugged sewers cleaned
- 2 damaged hydrants repaired
- 15 new house services installed
- 12 old house services were replaced with copper
- 10 new water meters were installed
- Replaced jet nozzles in North Newport houses
- Assisted in engineering survey of Sewer system.

## CEMETERY DEPARTMENT

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Added emphasis was placed on the summer maintenance program. This will be continued in order to improve the appearance of our cemeteries.

This department is also utilized in assisting the highway department in winter snow removal, sanding of sidewalks and so forth. They also handle the operation of the skating rink on the common and various grass cutting duties during the summer.

During 1961 there were 68 burials as follows:

- 43 Pine Grove
- 13 Saint Patricks
- 8 North Newport
- 4 Maple Street



## PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

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The Town nurse, although operating individually, performs many valuable services in the Town. Particularly outstanding in 1961 was the very effective action which was taken to combat the outbreak of polio in the town last fall. With the assistance of State and National organizations a very effective inoculation program was carried out.

Some of the Nurses activities in 1961 were as follows:

Nursing	1192
Infant Welfare	98
Prenatal	24
Child Welfare	382
Office visits	102
Social Service	490
Miscellaneous	68

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## NEWPORT HOSPITAL REPORT

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February 19, 1962

To the people of Newport:

Major improvements made during 1961 were first: the completion of the installation of the emergency generator which makes it possible for the hospital to continue complete operation of all facilities without interruption during any power failure; second: the airconditioning of the operating and out-patient rooms with funds raised by the Hospital Aid.

Patient statistics were as follows: Patient days—7,291, admissions—974, births—135, operations—914, x-ray exams—2,065, lab exams—12,327, out-patients treated—3,804. Of the above all show an increase over last year with the exception of x-ray exams and out-patients treated.

Respectfully submitted,

RUTH NASON,

Administrator

## HOSPITAL BALANCE SHEET SEPTEMBER 30, 1961

### ASSETS

Current Assets		
Cash	\$7,486 68	
Notes Receivable	500 00	
Inventories and Prepaid Insurance	10,913 13	
Accounts Receivable—Current	65,020 26	
Accounts Receivable—Non Current		
In hands of Collectors	28,500 48	
Less Reserve for Bad Debts	28,500 48	
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		\$83,920 07
Fixed Assets		
Land, Building, and Equipment	449,954 73	
Less Depreciation	123,396 27	
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		326,558 46
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Total Assets		\$410,478 53

### LIABILITIES

Accounts Payable	\$25,370 55	
Notes Payable	24,000 00	
Payroll Taxes and Deductions	2,878 36	
Other General Fund Liabilities	29,514 65	
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		\$81,763 56
Hospital Investment	292,664 43	
Plus Gain for period ending Sept. 30, 1961	*36,050 54	
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		328,714 97
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		\$410,478 53

\* This gain gives an unrealistic picture for this year in that it includes, first—a non-recurring charitable bequest of \$26,031.66 which was used to reduce outstanding obligations which have accumulated over the past years, and second—\$10,584.76 from the Hospital Aid Society which is restricted to the purchase of equipment.

## LIBRARY REPORT

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The year 1961 in our library has been marked by real improvement—in equipment, in services, in usefulness to the community.

A basement room formerly used for storage was redecorated and equipped to serve as office and small meeting room. New shelves were built in the central room. A lighted display case was installed on the library lawn. Material in the old Museum was assembled into a permanent local history exhibit, opened first during the Bi-Centennial celebration. The microfilming of the files of the town newspapers was completed and a viewer purchased so that old issues may be permanently available to the townspeople.

An interested citizen offered \$150 to the library for the purchase of new books and related materials, on the condition that the gift be matched. It was matched, not once, but nearly four times over. These funds are being used to build up the library's collection of non-fiction books, and on the basis of this program the library has been awarded \$200 of state funds.

The State Library added to our available resources and services by lending films and books, by providing reference service, and by adding to our collection through regular visits from the regional Bookmobile.

The Friends continued their invaluable support.

The year has been marked by increased work with schools. Teachers were furnished classroom material, grade school children were taught to use the library, a summer reading contest was conducted, junior high and high school students were helped with reference problems (these accounted for the majority of the 2,077 reference questions received in 1962).

528 books were added to the library in 1961. Circulation increased to an all-time high of 28,748, an increase of more than 2,000 over 1960, and an evidence of the increased importance of the library to the community.



## BICENTENNIAL REPORT

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Chairman's Report to the Town Manager of Newport, N.H.

Last August Newport, N.H. celebrated its Bi-Centennial and from the accounts in the newspapers and from letters, telephone calls and verbal congratulations it was agreed that it was a great success. As in all committee work the chairman receives the credit also the blame if it goes wrong. But the success of a committee depends on the cooperation the chairman gets from the several committees. During the past bi-centennial celebration I was very fortunate in getting good co-operation. It is quite impossible for me to name all of the people who did such a wonderful job as there is not enough space but I would like to name a few. To begin with the Telephone girls, who, as usual did a terrific financial job, Mrs. Gordon Flint for the outstanding childrens parade. Merton Sargent and Cleon Johnson for the great parade that closed the celebration. Harry Woodward and M. Downing for their efforts in producing that great souvenir booklet. These people and many more donated their talent and time to make this a great affair. All the above would not have been possible if it had not been for the one hundred per cent co-operation of the merchants, both financially and physically. A box with records, programs, etc., has been sealed and put away to be opened by the selectmen of the Town of Newport, N.H. in the year of 2011 when the town will celebrate 250 years.

To close, let me say Thank You to all the people who helped to make this Bi-Centennial a great success.

A. O. BERGERON,

Chairman

## CIVIL DEFENSE REPORT

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January 15, 1962

TO: The Board of Selectmen and Town Manager

Civil Defense is a purely volunteer organization which must be operated by each municipality by law.

Newport has a sound basic organization and plan but the completeness of the table of organization is strictly up to the civic minded citizens of the Town. There are vacancies that could be filled.

The various departments of the Town are integrated into the Plan giving each a definite job to do in an emergency.

An Auxiliary Police Unit of fifteen men has received training from the State Police, NRA Weapons training, actual traffic and patrol duty with the local Police, and are now taking an Advanced Red Cross First Aid Course.

An Emergency Rescue vehicle and squad are in process of being set up.

A headquarters shelter has been constructed in the basement of the Town Hall in cooperation with the County. Construction was done by volunteer labor and supervision. A ten KW generator has also been installed in the Town Hall.

Surplus emergency equipment has been secured from time to time for the various departments of the Town with other items being stored for emergency use.

The Director has attended the Civil Defense Staff College at Battle Creek, Mich. and the Eastern Instructor Training Center at Brooklyn, N.Y. and believes that he has a sound basic knowledge of Civil Defense.

A model shelter will be constructed by the Federal Government, in the basement of the Director's home, which will be open to all for inspection.

Your cooperation is urgently requested by the Civil Defense organization of Newport. If you can help please volunteer. Remember you are helping yourself.

LOUIS E. WILLETT

Director

## INVENTORY OF TAXES ASSESSED FOR 1961

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Lands and Buildings	\$5,518,604 00
House Trailers	12,550 00
Factory Buildings Including Land & Machinery	644,817 00
Electric Plants	273,620 00
Mature Wood and Timber	1,105 00
Stock-in-Trade	1,013,581 00
Boats and Launches (14)	2,250 00
Horses, Asses and Mules (24)	1,375 00
Cows (210)	17,345 00
Other Neat Stock (16)	900 00
Sheep and Goats (32)	320 00
Hogs (5)	100 00
Fowls (2046)	1,072 00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	7,460 00
Road Building & Construction Machinery incl. Stone Crushers	44,950 00
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Total Inventory	\$7,540,049 00
Less Soldiers' Exemptions	376,600 00
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Net Valuation on which Tax Rate is computed	\$7,163,449 00
Total Town and School Appropriations	\$637,646 50
Less Total Revenues and Credits	105,756 74
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	\$531,889 76
Plus Overlay	5,368 92
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Amount to be raised by Property Taxes	\$537,258 68
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Tax Rate \$75.00 per \$1,000.00	

# REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF NEWPORT, N.H.

December 31, 1961

## GENERAL CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

Date of Creation: March 6, 1915	Name of Trust Fund	PRINCIPAL Balance Dec. 31, 1960	Added During Year	Balance Dec. 31, 1961	Balance Dec 31, 1960	INCOME			Funds derived from Sale of Lots		
						Income During 1961	Expended During 1961	Balance Dec. 31, 1961	Principal & Interest Dec. 31, 1961	TOTAL	
PINE GROVE CEMETERY	Perpetual Care Fund	\$27,666 82	\$701 02	\$28,367 84	\$2,046 64	\$1,185 97	\$1,100 00	\$2,132 61	\$30,500 45		
	Permanent Improvement	12,776 49	349 98	13,126 47	3,159 74	618 65	600 00	3,178 39	16,304 86		
	NORTH NEWPORT EXTENSION										
CEMETERY	Perpetual Care Fund	6,637 51	306 13	6,943 69	899 03	303 80	300 00	902 83	7,846 52		
	Permanent Improvement	2,619 79	152 82	2,772 61	536 68	123 85		680 53	3,453 14		
		\$49,700 61	\$1,510 00	\$51,210 61	\$6,662 09	\$2,232 27	\$2,000 00	\$6,894 36	\$58,104 97		

## INDIVIDUAL CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

\* Three Hundred Forty-eight Individual Trust Funds on Cemetery lots in Newport Cemeteries:

	SCHOOL BUS TRUST FUND	Principal & Interest Bal. Dec. 1960	Expenditure for new equipment	Interest 1961	Balance Dec. 31, 1961
\$43,176 79	\$800 00	\$43,976 79	\$4,295 54	\$1,903 24	\$4,434 73
					\$48,411 57

Reserve for New Equipment  
\* Individual Funds in detail  
are on file with the State  
Tax Commission & the Trustees of  
Trust Funds, Newport, N.H.

\$6,337 36  
Respectfully submitted,  
AUSTIN B. CORBETT,  
R. A. EGGLESTON,  
LESLIE M. PIKE,  
Trustees of Trust Funds



**DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING  
STATE TAX COMMISSION  
Concord, New Hampshire**

**SUMMARY OF FINDING AND RECOMMENDATIONS**

February 14, 1962

Board of Selectmen  
Newport, New Hampshire  
Gentlemen:

Submitted herewith is the report of an examination and audit of the accounts of the Town of Newport for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1961, which was made by this Division in accordance with the vote of the Town. Exhibits as hereafter listed are included as part of the report.

**SCOPE OF AUDIT**

Included in the examination and audit were the accounts and records of the Board of Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk, Water and Sewer Departments, Trustees of Trust Funds and Municipal Court.

**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

**Comparative Balance Sheets—December 31, 1960—December 31, 1961:**

(Exhibit A-1)

Comparative Balance Sheets as of December 31, 1960 and December 31, 1961, are presented in Exhibit A-1. As indicated therein, the Net Debt decreased by \$34,453.41 in 1961.

**Analysis of Change in Financial Condition: (Exhibit A-2)**

An analysis of the change in financial condition during the year is made in Exhibit A-2, with the factors which caused the change indicated therein. These were as follows:

**Decrease in Net Debt**

Long Term Notes Paid	\$1,500 00
Bonds Paid	22,000 00
Net Budget Surplus	10,957 02
Tax Collector's Excess Credits	7 39
	\$34,464 41

**Increase in Net Debt**

Excess Amount of Tax Sale Check	11 00
Net Decrease	\$34,453 41

**Comparative Statements of Appropriations and Expenditures—Estimated and Actual Revenues: (Exhibits A-3 & A-4)**

Comparative statements of appropriations and expenditures, estimated and actual revenues for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1961, are presented in Exhibits A-3 and A-4. As indicated by the budget summary

(Exhibit A-4), a revenue surplus of \$6,170.64, plus a net unexpended balance of appropriations of \$4,786.38, resulted in a net budget surplus of \$10,957.02.

**Summary Statement of Receipts and Expenditures:** (Exhibit B-1)

A summary statement of receipts and expenditures for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1961, made up in accordance with the uniform classification of accounts, is included in Exhibit B-1. Proof of the Treasurer's balance as of December 31, 1961, is indicated in Exhibit B-2.

**Statement of Long Term Indebtedness:** (Exhibit H)

A statement of outstanding long term indebtedness as of December 31, 1961, showing annual debt service requirements, is contained in Exhibit H.

**AUDIT PROCEDURE**

The accounts and records of all town officials charged with the custody, receipt and disbursement of public funds were examined and audited. Vouchers and cancelled checks were compared with supporting invoices and payrolls as well as entries in the books of record. Receipts were checked by source insofar as possible and totals of receipts and expenditures verified. Book balances were verified by comparison with reconciled bank balances made from statements obtained from depository banks. Verification of uncollected taxes was made by mailing notices to delinquent taxpayers as indicated by the Collector's records. Accounts receivable of the Water and Sewer Departments were also verified by sending notices to persons whose names appeared on the delinquent lists. The amounts of uncollected and unredeemed taxes and Water and Sewer Department accounts receivable, as indicated in this report are therefore subject to any changes which may be necessitated by the return of verification notices.

**GENERAL COMMENTS**

**Current Surplus:**

It is noted that the current surplus (excess of total assets over current liabilities) increased by \$10,953.41, from \$29,879.42 to \$40,832.83, in 1961 as shown herewith:

	Dec. 31, 1960	Dec. 31, 1961
<b>Total Assets</b>	\$221,980 20	\$241,192 93
<b>Current Liabilities</b>	192,100 78	200,360 10
<b>Current Surplus</b>	\$29,879 42	\$40,832 83

**Conclusion:**

The provisions of Chapter 184 of the Laws of 1955, require that this report or the summary of findings and recommendations (letter of transmittal) shall be published in the next annual report of the Town.

We extend our thanks to the officials of the Town of Newport for their assistance during the course of the audit.

Yours very truly,  
HAROLD G. FOWLER  
Director

DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING  
STATE TAX COMMISSION

Norval D. Lesseis, Auditor  
Charles T. Carroll, Accountant

**DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING  
STATE TAX COMMISSION  
Concord, New Hampshire  
February 14, 1962**

**Certificate of Audit**

This is to certify that we have examined and audited the accounts and records of the Town of Newport for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1961. In our opinion, the Exhibits included herewith reflect the true financial condition of the Town of Newport on December 31, 1961, and the results of operations for the fiscal year ended on that date.

Respectfully submitted,  
HAROLD G. FOWLER

Director

DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING  
STATE TAX COMMISSION

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**BALANCE SHEET**

**As of December 31, 1960 and December 31, 1961**

Assets	December 31, 1960	December 31, 1961
Cash	\$83,068 02	\$92,163 27
Aeronautical Fund	104 42	20 94
<b>Accounts Due Town:</b>		
Estimated Railroad Tax	\$1,000 00	
Bounties	82 00	\$196 00
	1,082 00	196 00
<b>Unredeemed Taxes:</b>		
Levy of 1960		\$18,454 80
Levy of 1959	\$12,395 74	6,707 56
Levy of 1958	9,537 76	2,207 25
Levies of Prior Years	645 64	454 64
	22,579 14	27,824 25
<b>Uncollected Taxes:</b>		
Levy of 1961		\$107,731 85
Levy of 1960	\$103,826 35	1,768 97
Levy of 1959	2,354 63	1,646 89
Levy of 1958	1,702 72	1,702 72
Levies of Prior Years	2,872 92	2,813 04
	110,756 62	115,663 47

**Uncollected State Head Taxes:**

Current Year	\$4,210 00	\$4,910 00
Prior Years	180 00	415 00
	4,390 00	5,325 00
Total Assets	\$221,980 20	\$241,192 93
Net Debt	112,920 58	78,467 17
Total Assets & Net Debt	\$334,900 78	\$319,660 10
<b>Liabilities</b>	<b>December 31, 1960</b>	<b>December 31, 1961</b>
School Tax	\$186,490 49	\$190,244 13

**Unexpended Balances of Special****Appropriations:**

Town Officers' Salaries		\$250 00
State Aid Construction		3,350 00
Civil Defense		107 02
		3,707 02
Aeronautical Fund	104 42	20 94
<b>Dues State of New Hampshire:</b>		
Head Taxes—Uncollected	\$4,210 00	\$4,910 00
Head Taxes—Collected	418 00	815 00
Special Yield Taxes		
Uncollected	408 84	403 14
Special Yield Taxes—		
Collected	469 03	259 87
	5,505 87	6,388 01
Long Term Notes Outstanding	14,300 00	12,800 00
Bonds Outstanding	128,500 00	106,500 00
Total Liabilities	\$334,900 78	\$319,660 10

**FINANCIAL REPORT****Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1961**

Net Debt - December 31, 1960	\$112,920 58
Net Debt - December 31, 1961	78,467 17
Decrease in Net Debt	\$34,453 41

**ANALYSIS OF CHANGE****Decreases:**

Long Term Notes Paid	\$1,500 00
Bonds Paid	22,000 00
Net Budget Surplus	10,957 02
Tax Collector's Excess Credits	7 39
	\$34,464 41

**Increase:**

Excess Tax Sale Check	11 00
Net Decrease	\$34,453 41



**TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT**  
**Summary of Warrants**  
**Fiscal Year Ended Dec. 31, 1961**

DR.	1961	1960	1959	Previous Years
Uncollected Dec. 31, 1960:				
Property Taxes		\$101,320 55	\$2,330 63	\$2,484 43
Poll Taxes		1,260 00	24 00	24 00
Yield Taxes		1,245 80		2,067 21
Taxes Committed to Collector:				
Property Taxes	\$537,258 68			
Poll Taxes	4,164 00			
Nat. Bank Stock Taxes	1,359 00			
Yield Taxes	1,326 46			
Added Taxes:				
Property Taxes	52 50			
Poll Taxes	86 00	270 00	4 00	
Interested Collected:	23 87	3,909 72		
	\$544,270 51	\$108,219 29	\$2,358 63	\$4,575 64

**CR.**

Remittances to Treas:				
Property Taxes	\$427,555 91	\$99,614 40	\$705 74	
Poll Taxes	2,732 00	1,098 00	6 00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	1,359 00			
Yield Taxes	650 44	908 76		59 88
Interest	23 87	3,909 72		
Abatements Allowed:				
Property Taxes	1,988 50	555 56		
Poll Taxes		354 00		
Yield Taxes		14 69		
Discounts Allowed:	2,231 52			
Uncollected Taxes Dec. 31, 1961				
Property Taxes	105,533 83	1,151 40	1,624 89	2,484 43
Poll Taxes	1,522 00	82 00	46 00	
Yield Taxes	676 02	535 57		2,007 33
	\$544,273 09	\$108,224 10	\$2,358 63	\$4,575 64
Less Excess Credits:	2 58	4 81		
	\$544,270 51	\$108,219 29	\$2,358 63	\$4,575 64

**TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT**  
**Summary of State Head Tax Warrants**  
**Fiscal Year Ended Dec. 31, 1961**

DR.	1961	1960	Previous Years
Uncollected Head Taxes			
Dec. 31, 1960		\$4,210 00	\$180 00
Head Taxes Committed to Collector	\$13,745 00		
Added Head Taxes	255 00	895 00	15 00
Penalties Collected	55 00	362 50	3 50
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	\$14,055 00	\$5,422 50	\$198 50
CR.			
Remittances to Treasurer:			
Head Taxes	\$9,090 00	\$3,640 00	\$40 00
Penalties	55 00	362 50	3 50
Abatements		1,155 00	
Uncollected Head Taxes—			
Dec. 31, 1961	4,910 00	260 00	155 00
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	\$14,055 00	\$5,422 50	\$198 50

**SUMMARY OF TAX SALE ACCOUNT**  
**Fiscal Year Ended Dec. 31, 1961**

DR.			
Unredeemed Taxes Dec. 31, 1960		\$12,395 74	\$10,183 40
Tax Sale—Sept. 25, 1961	\$22,798 77		
Interest & Costs After Sale	18 30	273 92	1,144 44
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	\$22,817 07	\$12,669 66	\$11,327 84
CR.			
Remittances to Treasurer:			
Redemptions	\$4,343 97	\$5,688 18	\$7,521 51
Interest and Costs	18 30	273 92	1,144 44
Unredeemed Taxes—Dec. 31, 1961	18,454 80	6,707 56	2,661 89
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	\$22,817 07	\$12,669 66	\$11,327 84

**TOWN CLERK'S REPORT**  
**Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1961**

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DR.

**Motor Vehicle Permits Issued:**

1960 - Nos. 273408 - 273484	\$379 14
1961 - Nos. 276351 - 279333	30,143 06
1962 - Nos. 269951 - 270059	1,450 52
	\$31,972 72

**Dog Licenses Issued:**

510 @ \$ 2 00	\$1,020 00
33 @ \$ 5 00	165 00
1 @ \$20 00	20 00
3 @ \$ 0 75	2 25
1 @ \$ 1 15	1 15
2 @ \$ 1 50	3 00
1 @ \$25 00	25 00
1 @ \$ 0 85	85
2 @ \$12 00	24 00
1 @ \$ 1 00	1 00
	\$1,262 25

Penalties Collected—73 @ \$0 50	36 50
	1,298 75

\$33,271 47

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**Remittances to Treasurer:**

Motor Vehicle Permits	\$31,972 72
Dog Licenses	1,298 75
	\$33,271 47

# MUNICIPAL COURT REPORT

## Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1961

Balance—December 31, 1960	\$3 50
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### Receipts During Year:

Fines	\$4,718 00	
Small Claims Account	22 50	
Refund	4 00	
Bail (Linda Pollari)	250 00	
		4,994 50
		\$4,998.00

### Expenditures During Year:

Motor Vehicle Department	\$2,331 00	
Fish & Game Department	441 00	
Town of Newport	1,883 30	
Bank Service Charge	4 05	
Clerk of Court	2 75	
Secretary of State	4 00	
Kimball's Inc.	37 75	
Judge Fairbanks	17 00	
Books	18 00	
Dues	5.00	
		4,743 85

Balance - December 31, 1961	\$254 15
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### Proof of Balance

Balance in the First National Bank - Per		
Statement December 27, 1961	\$1,567 10	
Add: Deposit of December 30, 1961	290 00	
	\$1,857 10	
Less: Outstanding Checks	1,605 10	
		\$252 00
Balance in the First National Bank - Per		
Statement September 8, 1961	\$21 35	
Add: Deposit of December 30, 1961	2 00	
	\$23 35	
Less: Outstanding Checks	21 20	
		2 15

Reconciled Balance - December 31, 1961	\$254 15
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# STATEMENT OF BONDED DEBT

## December 31, 1961

Maturities	Serial Bonds \$50,000 00 1 3/4 %	Highway Grader Note \$8,800 00 1 3/4 %	Water Clare, Hill & Snow Loader \$13,000 00 3 %	Refunding		Refunding Bonds \$32,000 00 2 3/4 %	Tl. Amount Maturities
				Water	Water & East Mt. Sewer Bonds \$78,000 00 2 1/2 %		
						Water Bonds \$85,000 00 2.10 %	
1962	\$3,000 00	\$500 00	\$800 00		\$7,000 00	\$5,000 00	\$3,000 00 \$19,300 00
1963	3,000 00	500 00	200 00		7,000 00	5,000 00	3,000 00 18,700 00
1964	1,000 00	500 00			7,000 00	5,000 00	3,000 00 16,500 00
1965		300 00			7,000 00	5,000 00	3,000 00 15,300 00
1966						5,000 00	3,000 00 8,000 00
1967						5,000 00	3,000 00 8,000 00
1968						5,000 00	3,000 00 8,000 00
1969						5,000 00	3,000 00 5,000 00
1970						5,000 00	5,000 00 5,000 00
1971						5,000 00	5,000 00 5,000 00
	\$7,000 00	\$1,800 00	\$1,000 00	\$28,000 00	\$50,000 00	\$21,000 00	\$108,800 00

In addition to the above there is the Library Note (1939) for \$10,000.00 at 6% and a \$500.00 Bond.



# Annual Report

of the

## Newport School District

for the fiscal year

July 1, 1960

to

June 30, 1961

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### EXECUTIVE ORGANIZATION

#### Newport School Board

HARRY V. SPANOS, Chairman	Term expires 1962
NATALIE N. MOORE, Secretary	Term expires 1963
RICHARD C. DUNCAN	Term expires 1964

#### Supervisory Union No. 43 Officers

ANNA E. RICH, Chairman	New London
GUY E. ALEXANDER, Vice-Chairman	Sunapee
JUNE E. SPAULDING, Secretary	New London
NATALIE N. MOORE, Treasurer	Newport

#### Officers of School District

Moderator	JOHN C. FAIRBANKS
Clerk	FLORENCE FITTS
Treasurer	HOWARD C. BENNETT
Auditors	JESSE R. ROWELL
	H. NEWCOMB ELDREDGE

#### Administration

Superintendent of Schools	GORDON B. FLINT
Teacher Consultant	ALPHONSE J. SOUCY
Clerk	INES FERRITER
School Nurse	MARY F. LORD
Truant Officer	MARSHALL PERKINS

## REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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To the Citizens of Newport:

I submit herewith my fourteenth annual report as Superintendent of Schools.

### FINANCES — BUDGET

The schools are operating on a Budget for 1961-62 some \$11,000.00 less than the amount recommended by the School Board:

School Board's Recommended Budget	\$450,644 71
Amount Approved by Budget Committee	399,643 44
Budget Approved by 1961 School District Meeting (10% maximum permitted by Statute over the amount o.k.'d by Budget Committee)	\$439,607 78

#### \*Estimated Income

March 1961	\$129,690 00
*Includes an estimate of \$72,500. from State Aid	
March 1961 — Estimated Local Tax Assessment	\$309,917.78

#### \*\*Actual Income

August 1961	\$149,194 61
**Received from State Aid	\$93,604 61
Estimate for State Aid	72,500 00
<b>Increase over Estimate</b>	<b>\$21,104 61</b>
August 1961 — Actual Local Tax Assessment	\$290,413 17

Even though the actual income was more than \$20,000.00 higher than when the Budget was voted in March 1961 and the local tax for schools for 1961-62 is actually some \$16,000.00 less than for 1960-61 —

(School Year 1960-61 — Local Tax — \$306,490.49)

(School Year 1961-62 — Local Tax — \$290,244.13)

your schools have been forced to operate in 1961-62 on the Budget voted in March 1961 of \$439,607.78 — some \$11,000.00 less than the amount recommended by the School Board.

To stay within the reduced Budget, it was necessary to:

Discontinue the Special Class for retarded children.

Reduce the salary maximums for non-degree teachers.

Discontinue the payments for summer school work toward professional improvement.

Fill eleven of the twelve teacher vacancies with inexperienced teachers at beginners' salaries.



### BUILDING NEEDS

Last year the Budget Committee did not approve the request for funds calling for the partitioning of Chellis Auditorium at Towle High School.

Since the need for more classroom stations at Towle is as urgent as it was a year ago, a Special Article is again included asking for \$20,000.00 to carry out this project. This would provide two additional classrooms — badly needed as large grades now at Junior High School move into Towle. Inasmuch as the student capacity of the Towle building would be increased, this project would qualify for 30% State Building Aid.

### SHOULD SCHOOLS CHANGE?

Some of the changes and new areas of instruction are mentioned in the reports of other school officials.

Generally, schools have not kept up with the rapid change that has taken place in business and industry in the last several decades. There is much concern in educational circles that the school structure — particularly the American high school — needs a real review. Perhaps the present pattern of one teacher in one classroom with around 30 students, too often using an ill-equipped study hall with an under-stocked library, can be improved upon. At least we should not be hesitant to try to work toward an improvement on this rigid set-up. The demands of an age which has accepted television, the missile, the electronic computer, and the six lane highway require that the schools keep up.

Business and industry have changed in order to survive. Schools must change in order to make the best use of capable, trained teachers and the best use of the tax dollars made available to them.

Respectfully submitted,

GORDON B. FLINT,  
Superintendent of Schools

## ANNUAL REPORT OF PRINCIPAL

### TOWLE HIGH SCHOOL

Newport, N. H.

February 2, 1962

Mr. Gordon B. Flint  
Superintendent of Schools  
Newport, N. H.

Dear Sir:

I hereby submit my eighth annual report of Towle High School.

Several areas of the school program have been studied and modified to update the content and methods used in the hope that improved results for the students will be attained.

In French, the audio-lingual approach has been instituted, under the handicap of limited facilities and equipment, in keeping with the nationwide move to develop students who can speak at least one foreign language fluently. Undoubtedly as students progress who have had an introduction to French in junior high, the achievement at the high school level will be improved markedly. It is apparent that earlier introduction to a foreign language develops much greater fluency for the students which in turn allows much greater progress in the use, understanding, and technical knowledge of the language.

A second area to which we have given much additional emphasis this year is that of the improvement of reading. The three main objectives of this program are to increase the speed of reading of all students, to improve their comprehension, and to remedy individual deficiencies in the techniques of reading; needless to say this is a difficult and endless task, but diagnostic and achievement tests show very definite improved results; these improvements should be magnified each year the program continues. Parents can be of tremendous help in this area if they will see that their students do read. One learns to read by reading sums up the total responsibility of students, parents, schools, and communities if our Nation is to have an adequate reading citizenry.

One of our most urgent problems at Towle is more classroom space. The proposed conversion of Chellis Auditorium into two additional classrooms, a guidance office, a conference room, and expanded library facilities will help greatly in improving instructional facilities and services rendered to students.

I thank the School Board, the Superintendent, the Faculty, the Students, and the interested citizens who have done their parts to make this a successful year for Towle High School.

Respectfully submitted,

HOWARD R. KIMBALL,

Principal

## SURVEY OF GRADUATES

## Class 1961

Number attending University of New Hampshire	6
Number attending Plymouth Teachers College	3
Number attending Keene Teachers College	4
Other four-year institutions	3
Number attending business colleges, nursing schools, etc.	11
Number entering employment	21
Number entering Armed Services	9
Number now housewives	8
<b>Total</b>	<b>65</b>



A new student received individual instruction at his first attempt at using a power machine.

(Don Eggleston Photo)

## CLASS DAY AND GRADUATION AWARDS

Class of 1960 Model Student Award

Cynthia Diotte

Nancy Jasinski

D. A. R. Good Citizenship Award

Cynthia Diotte

Bausch & Lomb Science Award

Robert Hastings

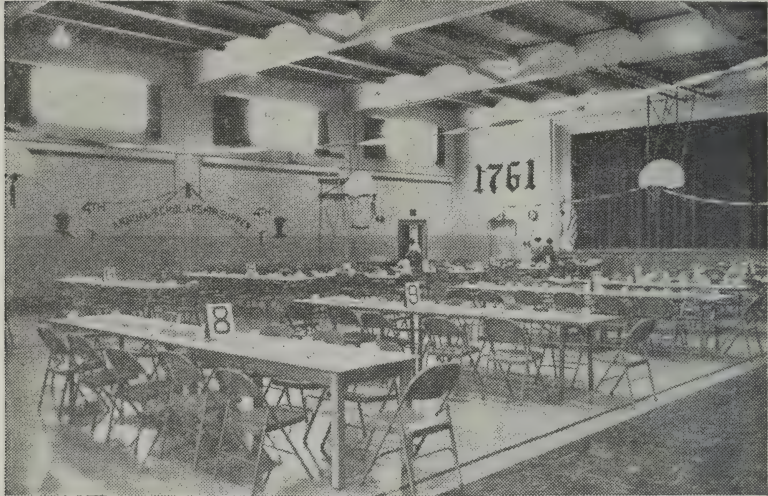
Danforth Awards

JoAnne Stoughton

David Emery



Future Homemaker Contest Winner	Brenda Smith
D. A. R. Outstanding Work in American History Awards	Susan Dean
Arion Award (Music)	James Ferriter
N. T. A. Scholarship	Kathleen Dubreuil
	David Hendrickson
	Rolland Descoteau
Lion's Club Scholarship	Donna Lee
Senior Class Scholarship	David Emery
	Cynthia Diotte
Al Kainu Memorial Award	Ronald Bowlan



Final preparations are being made for the 4th Annual Scholarship Supper, sponsored by the Newport Teachers Association. The proceeds are used for scholarships for deserving Towle graduates.

(Don Eggleston Photo)

#### PERFECT ATTENDANCE

##### Grade 12

Sabra Brooks  
John Eastman  
Earl Emerson  
Sandra Goyette  
Nancy Jasinski  
Margaret Laber  
Marjorie Laber  
Marcos Mosconas  
Dan Murgatroy  
Louise Prescott  
Herman Sanborn

##### Grade 11

Russell Currier  
James Davis  
Ann Fellows  
Lester Fortune  
Richard Kelley  
Richard Murgatroy

##### Grade 10

Roland Durgin  
Jacqueline Gilbert  
Elizabeth Hackwell  
David Hooper  
Ronald Leslie  
Shirley Mayville  
William Richards  
Carolyn Smith  
Ronald Thibodeau  
Walter Trybulski  
Michael Walker

**HONOR ROLL FOR ALL FOUR QUARTERS****Those whose average for the year is 90 or better**

<b>Class 1961</b>	<b>Class 1962</b>	<b>Class 1963</b>
Cynthia Diotte	Christine Waltz	Jacqueline Gilbert
Carolyn Morrill		

**Those whose average for the year is 85 or better**

Carolyn Brault	Karol Bushaw	Lynn Jackson
David Emery	Geraldine Coburn	Lorilee Leavitt
David Hendrickson	James Ferriter	Neta Kimball
Nancy Jasinski	David Harlow	Ronald Leslie
Margaret Laber	Jean Kanerva	John Lord
Sandra Leland	Richard Kelley	Richard McAllister
Patricia Locke	John McGrath	Elinor Pariseau
John Thorson	Jon Mills	David Perry
	Nancy Pollard	William Richards
	Donald Rowell	Michael Walker

**Junior Prize Speaking Contest**

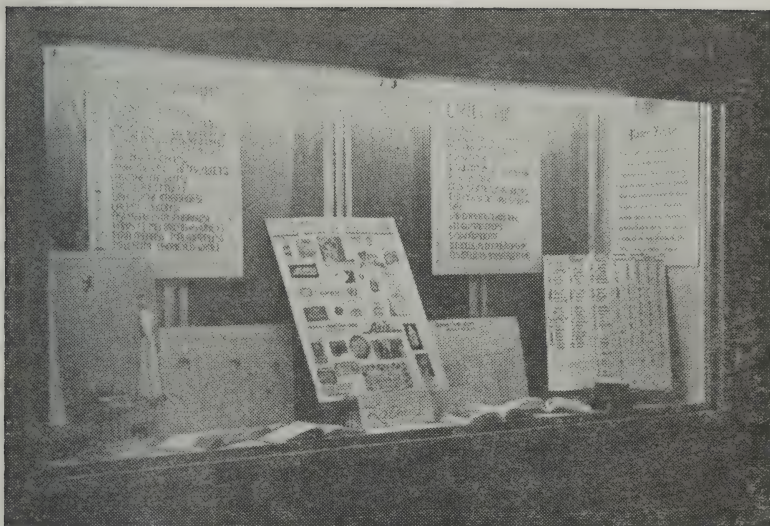
1. Report of an Academy — Franz Kafka	James Ferriter
2. Execution of Mary Queen of Scots — Schiller	Christine Waltz
3. Dr. Faustus — Christopher Marlowe	Thomas Hall



**TOWLE HIGH SCHOOL**  
**Financial Statement, January 31, 1962**

Account	Receipts		Expenditures		Total	Total	Balance
	To Jan. 1	To Jan. 31	To Jan. 1	To Jan. 31			
Class of 1960	\$21 96		\$21 96		\$21 96	\$21 96	
Class of 1961	278 29		10 39		10 39	267 90	
Class of 1962	683 30	\$79 20	5 42		5 42	757 08	
Class of 1963	449 72	1 25	179 71	\$47 04	226 75	224 22	
Class of 1964	205 53	35 00	3 20		3 20	237 33	
Audio-Visual Fund	16 24					16 24	
Dramatics & Forensics	122 17		72 34	4 40	76 74	45 43	
Music Fund	305 23	30 43	75 09	104 46	179 55	156 11	
Spirit of Towle (Paper)	295 15	10 55	123 54	1 36	124 90	180 80	
Student Council	563 33	113 19	441 38	87 58	528 96	147 56	
Student Council A.A. Ins. Fund	1,302 65	15 00	1,351 00		1,351 00	-33 35	
Yearbook	948 29	98 08	34 20	223 77	257 97	788 40	
Miscellaneous	208 91	91 05	110 83	163 57	274 40	25 56	
Band Uniform	208 80		134 54	50 00	184 54	24 25	
F.T.A.	98 55					98 55	
Home Economics Club	66 52					66 52	
Totals	\$5,774 64	\$473 75	\$6,248 39	\$682 18	\$3,245 78	\$3,002 61	
Newport School Athletic Assoc.	\$2,215 43	\$901 50	\$2,133 87	\$362 20	\$2,496 07	\$620 86	
Cash in Citizens Bank	\$3,002 61						
Cash in First National Bank	\$620 86						

HOWARD R. KIMBALL, Principal  
 RUTH S. BEARD, Faculty Treasurer



A Latin window display at the Junior High School. Window displays are changed every two weeks. They are planned by teachers and their students.

*(Don Eggleston Photo)*

## ANNUAL REPORT OF PRINCIPAL

### NEWPORT JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

February 7, 1962

Mr. Gordon B. Flint  
Superintendent of Schools  
Newport, New Hampshire  
Dear Sir:

I am pleased to submit my fifth annual report as Principal of the Newport Junior High School.

In keeping with current trends in education the following changes have been made in the curriculum: Algebra II has been added for the academic students who have successfully completed Algebra I in Grade 8. Earth Science has been added in Grade 9 for the academic students. French I has been added in Grade 9 to continue the Conversational French sequence which was started in Grade 8 last year, and Group Guidance has been added in Grades 7 and 8.

The Eleventh Annual Junior High Prize Speaking Contest was held in November and a very successful Magazine Campaign was conducted in October. Our Fifth Annual Junior High Night Program was staged in April and the Second Annual Science Fair was held in May.

There are many clubs and organizations which are active. These include: Junior High Band, Junior High Chorus, 8th Grade Chorus, X-plorers Club, Journalism Club, Student Council, School Librarians, class or-

ganizations, and intramural athletics. Dances and educational assemblies are held at least once a month.

For the first time our library in the study room has been opened on a full-time basis with student-librarians. Over 200 books have been purchased for this library from profits derived from the Magazine Campaign.

Nine large Christmas baskets were distributed to needy families. Food for these baskets was donated largely by the students.

A complete statistical and financial report of the Newport Junior High School Cafeteria is attached to this letter. Once again the cafeteria was able to operate with financial success during the past year.

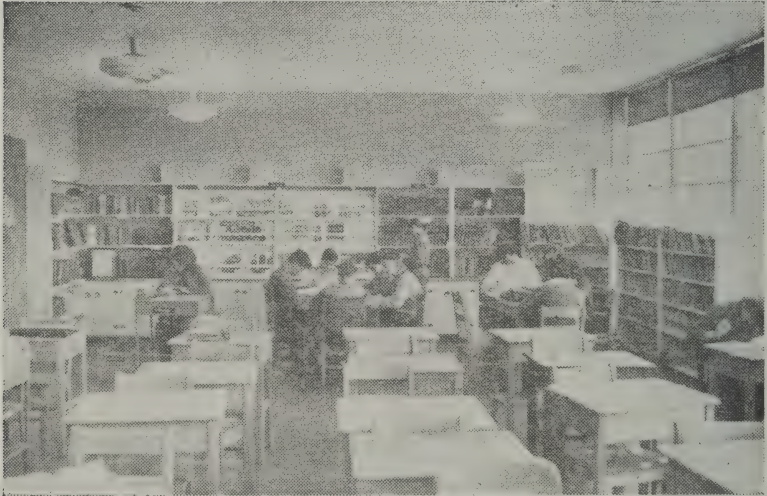
The building is being used increasingly for community activities. Many banquets, adult education classes, and general meetings are held in the building each year.

My personal thanks to the faculty members for their fine work and continued cooperation. I wish also to thank the citizens, parents, students, custodians, and other school personnel who have helped in any way to make this school year successful.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN H. SOKUL,

Principal



The library-study hall at the Junior High School. A centralized library was started for the first time this year. Many of the books were purchased with funds derived from the magazine campaign.

*(Don Eggleston Photo)*

#### NEWPORT JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL CAFETERIA FINANCIAL AND STATISTICAL REPORT

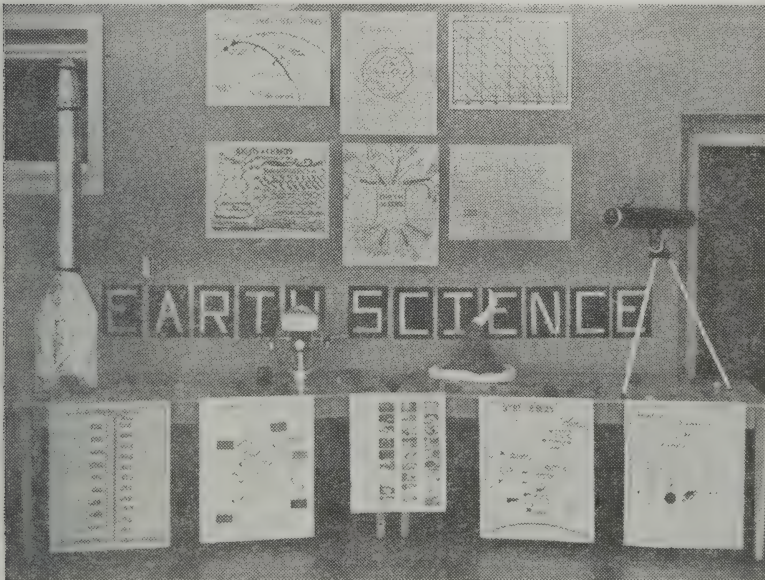
July 1, 1960 to June 30, 1961

Paid meals served to children	39,801
Meals served free or at reduced rates	2,706



Served to adults		1,489
Total meals served		43,996
<b>Financial Report</b>		
Balance July 1, 1960		\$204 37
<b>Receipts:</b>		
Lunch sales — children	\$11,345 75	
Lunch sales — adults	490 20	
State reimbursement	1,891 49	
Miscellaneous cash (public suppers, etc.)	560 42	
Total Receipts		14,287 86
Total Available		\$14,492 23
<b>Expenditures</b>		
Food	\$9,993 82	
Labor	3,307 62	
Equipment	88 67	
All other	140 02	
Total Expenditures		13,530 13
Cash Balance June 30, 1961 — As reconciled with		
First National Bank of Newport		\$962 10
<b>Other Program Resources</b>		
USDA Commodities received (wholesale value)		\$2,173 46
Estimated value of food and supplies on hand June 30, 1961		\$200 00

#### EARTH SCIENCE DISPLAY



Earth Science was a new course added this year for Grade 9 academic students.

(Don Eggleston Photo)

## ANNUAL REPORT OF PRINCIPAL

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### RICHARDS SCHOOL

Mr. Gordon B. Flint  
 Superintendent of Schools  
 Newport, New Hampshire  
 Dear Sir:

I hereby submit my fifth annual report as Principal of Richards School.

This school year, the fifth, fourth and third grades continued to study Science and the History of New Hampshire through the medium of television. This has proven to be very successful and it is hoped that these programs are continued and extended to the other grades.

With pupil interest, once again, extremely high Richards School participated for the fourth straight year in the annual Union-Leader State Spelling Bee.

The instrumental music program has been expanded to include instrumental lessons for pupils during the school day, once a week. The Richards School Band numbers forty members. Rehearsals for the band and the newly formed Richards Chorus are held every Friday afternoon.

The Richards School Library has added many new books and magazines to its facilities. All the pupils of Richards School have an opportunity to utilize these books.

I want to take this opportunity to thank the mothers who are donating their time in supervising the library.

An overflow crowd of 750 parents and friends attended the third Richards Grade Glimpses' Program, which again, was highly successful. Funds from this program are being utilized to pay for the purchase of athletic and playground equipment, library books, refreshments for school parties and many other important items needed by the school.

The cafeteria served over 40,000 meals during the school year. The cafeteria supervisor and his assistants are to be commended for the outstanding task of planning these meals. A complete statistical account of the Richards Cafeteria has been attached to this letter.

Fire drills are held at least once a month, and twice a month during good weather. Children on the second floor of the old building have used the fire escape during fire drills. Civil defense evacuation drills have been held.

I wish to thank the co-operative, friendly parents and citizens; dedicated, hard-working teachers; eager, enthusiastic youngsters and other school personnel who have helped to make this a successful school year.

Respectfully submitted,

ALKIVEADIS JURIS,

Principal



**LUNCH SALES—RICHARDS SCHOOL CAFETERIA****July 1, 1960—June 30, 1961**

Lunch Sales—Children	35,363
Lunch Sales—Adults	1,616
Lunches served free or at reduced rates to children who would otherwise be unable to have them	5,994
Number of days lunches were served	179
Average number of lunches served per day	240

**FINANCIAL REPORT****RICHARDS SCHOOL CAFETERIA****Cash Receipts July 1, 1960 to June 30, 1961**

Balance, July 1960	\$490 18
Lunch Sales—Children	11,071 65
Lunch Sales—Adults	575 35
Federal Reimbursement for Meals	1,926 20
Miscellaneous Receipts	389 32
Total Receipts	<hr/> \$14,452 70

**Expenditures July 1, 1960 to June 30, 1961**

Food	\$9,488 18
Labor	3,145 68
Equipment	326 85
Other	1,204 42
Total Expenditures	<hr/> \$14,165 13
Balance as reconciled with First National Bank Newport, N. H., as of June 30, 1961	\$287 57

## REPORT OF TEACHER CONSULTANT

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Departing from the usual format of reporting in a variety of activities connected with this position, I should like to devote my remarks to only one area of the curriculum which, has, during recent years, taken on new importance and shifts of emphasis—MATHEMATICS.

Much has been written in this field, and many groups and researchers have experimented with subject matter beyond that found in standard arithmetic texts, demonstrating that pupils can learn with enjoyment and understanding much more mathematics than that to which they have been traditionally exposed.

It is true that the results of standardized tests have shown that we "measure up" quite well in terms of national norms, but it is also true that these measures are based almost entirely on computational efficiency rather than a deeper understanding of the structure, power, and beauty of mathematics. It is not, therefore, out of a sense of failure that we take a closer look at this important subject, but rather out of a sense of duty and responsibility to our young people in this rapidly advancing technological age.

During the first semester of the school year, it was most encouraging, and much to the credit of our school system, to see a number of elementary and secondary teachers attend, on a voluntary basis, a series of math meetings under the leadership of Mr. George Cunningham, Director of Mathematic Education from our State Department of Education. Here, they received first-hand experience in the newer approaches to this subject, recognizing at times that some of the "new" ideas were only a new language for ideas already known. Emphasis was given to the idea that the properties of numbers were as important as the actual computation with numbers; that the nature of the operations with numbers was as important as the answers obtained; and that mathematics can be fascinating to many people not only because of its utility, but also because it presents opportunities to create and discover.

The effect of changes already realized in Junior and Senior High School math has, and will continue to influence the elementary school curriculum and there is sufficient reason to expect that a major change will take place in the elementary arithmetic program within the next few years. We believe that our Union No. 43 Math Study Group was a significant first step in becoming familiar with some of these inevitable changes. New text books in math are reflecting these changes, but much is still in the study and experimental stage, and many publishers have not yet plunged into a complete series for all levels. They have, however, made available supplementary and enrichment material which will strengthen present programs.

A new mathematics guide for New Hampshire schools, tentatively developed at a special week-long conference last April, is now being reviewed, edited, and will receive wider distribution throughout the state by next year. This will reflect much of the "modern" trend and will be a stimulus for local school systems to improve the mathematics curriculum.

In summary, it might be said that our brief look into "newer" approaches to mathematics education is but a period of readiness for what is to come. As studies and research now going on throughout the country continue to show success, we can expect that within a few relatively short years, (1) a much higher level of mathematics will be taught at all grade levels, (2) that arithmetic programs will incorporate many new topics not generally found in the traditional school curricula, (3) the precision of the language and vocabulary of mathematics will give way to greater thinking, understanding, and learning.

Respectfully submitted,

ALPHONSE J. SOUCY,

Teacher Consultant

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## REPORT OF GUIDANCE COUNSELLOR

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February 7, 1962

Mr. Gordon B. Flint  
Superintendent of Schools  
Newport, New Hampshire

Dear Sir:

I am pleased to submit my first annual report as Guidance Counsellor for the junior and senior high schools.

Since November 1960 I have been actively engaged in guidance, at first part-time, and presently on a full-time basis. My weekly schedule allows me two days at the High School and two days at the Junior High School. The extra day is devoted to the particular school where my services are most needed. One evening each week is set aside for parent appointments.

At the present, group guidance is being conducted in the seventh and eighth grades, and individual guidance is offered to grades nine, ten, eleven, and twelve.

The guidance services include such school activities as the following:

1. Teaching guidance units at the Junior High School
2. Scheduling at least two student conferences with each individual in grades nine through twelve .
3. Scheduling of College and Armed Forces Representatives' visits for the high school
4. Arranging for guidance-centered assemblies
5. Coordination of the outside services such as the Employment Service to assist in vocational guidance

Out-of-school activities include the following:

1. Student drop-out follow-up
2. Parent appointments
3. Higher Education Programs for the parents and students
4. Curriculum Programs for the parents and students

Testing and research - carried on at all grade levels - are included as part of the guidance service. Such tests as the Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test, National Merit Competitive Test, College Boards, and American College Test come within this area. The cost of these tests is paid by the individual student and are usually required by most institutions of higher learning.

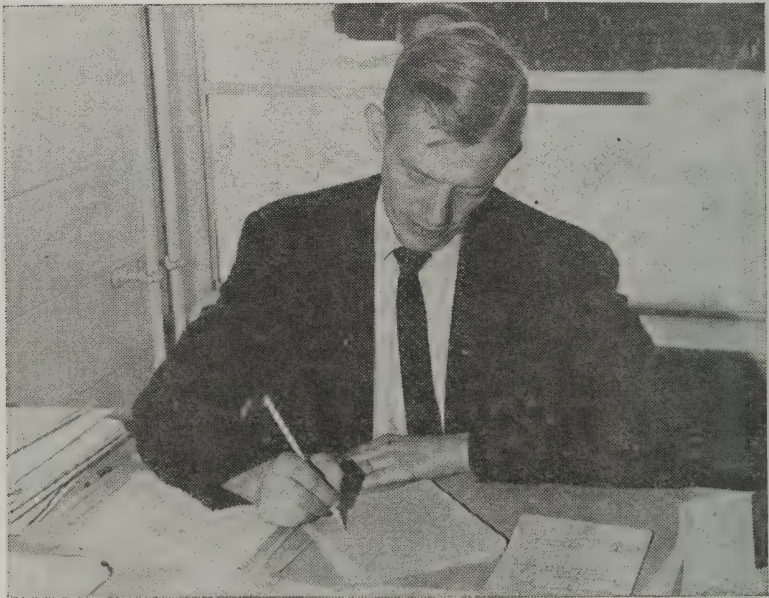
An extreme challenge is presented to the guidance program, as greater emphasis is being placed on our youth to obtain a formal education. The counsellor must assist all individuals whether college bound, armed service bound, or entering the world of work. With educational standards being raised, school programs being evaluated, and competition becoming keener, this guidance obligation becomes vital.

In closing, I wish to thank Principals Howard Kimball and John Sokul, Teacher Consultant Alphonse Soucy, and the teachers of both the high school and junior high school for their assistance and cooperation during my first year as Guidance Counsellor. I would also like to thank the Parent, Teacher, and Friends Club for sponsoring two guidance programs this year.

Respectfully submitted,

LELAND D. CHURCHILL,

Guidance Counsellor



Leland D. Churchill is serving as the first full-time Guidance Counselor in the Newport schools.



## REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

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September 1960 - June 1961

Mr. Gordon B. Flint  
Superintendent of Schools  
Newport, N.H.

Dear Sir:

I hereby submit my annual report as School Nurse.

Local medical services for physical examinations given by Drs. Robert Maxfield, Strother B. Marshall, and Alfred Hanscom.

- 347 Examinations including athletic and students in 1st and 7th grades and new pupils.
- 80 defects (59 of which were dental defects reported to parents)
- 475 Patch Tests
- 4 Chest X-rays at the State T. B. Clinic
- 16 Vaccinations

### Vision and Hearing screening:

- 1,077 Visions — 39 defects and 30 corrected
- 651 Hearing — 2 defects and 2 follow-ups

### Inspection of 2,595 for various health conditions:

- 758 First Aid
- 84 Children taken home ill
- 32 Doctor's office calls with children
- 72 Home visits and conference with parents
- 7 Visits by State Welfare Personnel

### Clinics and Referrals:

- 10 Dental Clinics — 15 children treated by Dr. Chris Armen
- 98 Children registered at pre-school clinic
- 4 Children referred to Crippled Children's Services

### Communicable Diseases:

- 101 Chicken Pox
- 13 Whooping Cough
- 16 Mumps
- 14 Impetigo
- 5 Pediculosis
- 6 Mononucleosis
- 2 Hepatitis

Sincere thanks to the Newport Fire Department, Lions Club, and Rotary Club for their continued financial support and sponsorship for various health programs.

My sincere appreciation to Mr. G. B. Flint, School Principals, teachers and personnel, local medical men, Dr. Armen school dentist, parents and citizens of Newport for their assistance and cooperation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY F. LORD, R. N.

School Nurse



## SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT

July 1, 1960—June 30, 1961

Cash on Hand July 1, 1960 (Treasurer Bank Balance)	\$6,075 00
Received from Selectmen, Current Appropriation	\$306,490 49
Received from State Treasurer, State Aid	76,646 08
Received from State Treasurer, Federal Funds (N.D.E.A. Title III)	4,033 88
Received from State Treasurer, Lunch Reimbursement	3,817 69
Received from Tuition	31,806 62
Received from Capital Reserve Funds	6,337 36
Received from Other Sources	1,570 57
Total Receipts	430,702 69
Amount Available for Fiscal Year	\$436,777 69
Less School Board Orders Paid	433,353 62
Balance on Hand June 30, 1961	\$3,424 07

OLIVER M. DROWN  
District Treasurer

June 30, 1961

## AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the Treasurer of the School District of Newport of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1961 and find them correct in all respects.

JESSE R. ROWELL,  
H. NEWCOMB ELDREDGE,

Auditors

July 10, 1961

**STATEMENT OF BONDED INDEBTEDNESS**  
(as of January 1, 1962)

	Wheeler Gym Bonds 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ %	Junior High Bonds 2.7%	Junior High Equipment Notes 3.5%
Date of Issue	May 1, 1949	November 1, 1955	June 15, 1957
Original Amount	\$74,000 00	\$375,000.00	\$20,000.00
Annual Maturity Date	November 1	November 1	December 15
Interest Payable	November 1 May 1	November 1 May 1	June 15 December 15
Annual Principal	(1950-63) \$5,000.00 (1964) \$4,000.00	(1956-70) \$20,000.00 (1971-75) \$15,000.00	(1953-61) \$3,000.00 (1962-63) \$4,000.00
Payable at	Citizens National Bank Newport	First National Bank of Boston	First National Bank Newport
Amount Outstanding	\$14,000.00	\$255,000.00	\$3,000.00

**ENROLLMENT**  
**As of January 1, 1962**

School	Grade	No. of Pupils	No. Rooms	School Total
Primary	1	135	5	168
	2	33	1	
Richards	2	94	3	492
	3	128	4	
	4	134	4	
	5	103	4	
	6	33	1	
Junior High	6	66	2	419
	7	119		
	8	118		
	9	116		
Towle	10	83		244
	11	81		
	12	80		
Total Number of Pupils Enrolled in All Schools				1,323

# PERSONNEL OF SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

1961-62

## Towle High School

Name	Training Institution	Degree or Certificate	Total Years Teaching	Years In Newport Thru June, 1962
Howard R. Kimball, Principal	U. N. H.	M. Ed.	18	9
Willis H. Ballou, Mathematics	Tufts	M. S.	29	16
Beatrice Bovers Dean of Girls, U.S. History, & Contemporary Problems	Trenton State Teachers College	B. S.	23½	7
William J. Bryant, Chemistry & Physics	U. N. H.	M. Ed.	34	15
Henry F. Buinicky, Biology & Latin	Keene Teachers College	M. Ed.	16	14
Priscilla Hastings, Commerce	Plymouth Teachers College	B. Ed.	21	10
Richard D. Hindley, English	Plymouth Teachers College	B. Ed.	4	3
Nancy Hobbs, French	U. N. H.	B. A.	1	1
Dorothy Knowles, Commerce & Economics	Plymouth Teachers College	B. Ed.	2½	2
Thomas P. Rouillard, English	Keene Teachers College	B. Ed.	2	2
Eve W. Spanos, English	Syracuse University	B. S.	2	2
Ollie W. Turpeinen, History	U. N. H.	M. A.	7	7

## Newport Junior High School

John H. Sokul, Principal	Plymouth Teachers College	M. Ed.	7	7
Natalie S. Anderson, Civics & History	U. N. H.	B. A.	28	28
Edward D. Bailey, Science	Keene Teachers College	B. A.	7	7
Bernard L. Dunbar, Mathematics	Keene Teachers College	B. Ed.	5	5
Laura Gurney, Mathematics	Keene Teachers College	B. Ed.	1	1
Helga E. Ketchen, English	Keene Teachers College	B. Ed.	38½	36½
Ruth Y. Kimball, Home Economics	Keene Teachers College	B. Ed.	17	6
Philip E. Knowles, Auto Mechanics & Electricity	Keene Teachers College	B. Ed.	6	6

## Newport Junior High School (continued)

Merton C. Merrill, Industrial Arts	Keene Teachers College	B. Ed.	2
Frederick J. Morgan, Jr., History & Civics	Keene Teachers College	B. Ed.	1
Beverly Sims, French & English	U. N. H.	B. A.	1
Emmett Stewart, Civics & General Math	Plymouth Teachers College	B. Ed.	1
Ruth Worrad, Home Economics	Keene Teachers College	B. Ed.	2
Catherine Woodard (part time)	Bates	B. A.	12
Latin & English			
Kenton Young, Geography & Science	U. N. H.	B. A.	1
Charleene F. Burke, Grade 6	Keene Teachers College	B. Ed.	1
Madeleine C. Thornton, Grade 6	Keene Teachers College	3 yr. Cert.	3

## Richards School

Aikiveadis Juris, Principal, Grade 6	Plymouth Teachers College	M. Ed.	8
Dorothy M. Flint (part-time), Grade 6	U. N. H.	M. Ed.	5
Judith Harvey, Grade 5	Keene Teachers College	B. Ed.	1
Gladys Roe, Grade 5	Castleton Teachers College	2 yr. Cert.	6
Doris Kibbey, Grade 5	Keene Teachers College	3 yr. Cert.	5
Miriam G. VonDreden, Grade 5	Keene Teachers College	2 yr. Cert.	19½
Katharine Coggeshall, Grade 4	Keene Teachers College	2 yr. Cert.	14
Helen McIntire, Grade 4	Keene Teachers College	2 yr. Cert.	17
Grace Scranton, Grade 4	Keene Teachers College	2 yr. Cert.	26
Martha F. Swain*, Grade 4	Keene Teachers College	3 yr. Cert.	33½
Patricia Brock, Grade 3	Keene Teachers College	B. Ed.	4½
Edith Fowle, Grade 3	Plymouth Teachers College	B. Ed.	1
Sharon Lynch, Grade 3	Farmington Teachers College	2 yr. Cert.	19
Joan Willey*, Grade 3	Keene Teachers College	B. Ed.	3
Celia Wright, Grade 2	Keene Teachers College	B. Ed.	3½
Evelyn S. Wilkins, Grade 2	Keene Teachers College	B. Ed.	3½
Virginia Wiggins, Grade 2	Lesley College	2 yr. Cert.	7
Pearlene S. Allen**, Grade 4	Aroostock Teachers College	3 yr. Cert.	8
Jean K. Griswold***, Grade 3	Castleton Teachers College	B. S.	4
	Keene Teachers College	B. Ed.	½



## Primary School

Pauline Maynard, Principal, Grade 1  
 Elizabeth Mahoney, Grade 2  
 Elizabeth R. Bickford, Grade 1  
 Beulah B. Butler  
 Estelle Stearns, Grade 1

Keene Teachers College 24½  
 Keene Teachers College 38  
 Keene Teachers College 11  
 Potsdam Teachers College 17  
 Plymouth Teachers College 6  
 2 yr. Cert. 24½  
 2 yr. Cert. 38  
 2 yr. Cert. 14  
 3 yr. Equiv. 27  
 2 yr. Cert. 23

## Supervisors

Priscilla Buinicky, Physical Education (Girls)  
 Leland D. Churchill, Guidance Counselor  
 Edward F. Keeley, Music  
 Mary F. Lord, School Nurse  
 James Robinson, Music  
 Robert K. Underhill, Director of Athletics

B. S. 5½  
 B. S. 4  
 B. A. 5  
 R. N. 9  
 B. A. 1  
 B. S. 11

\* On leave of absence—second semester

\*\* Replaces Mrs. Swain—second semester

\*\*\* Replaces Mrs. Willey—second semester

## Custodians

Frank MacConnell

Harold Field  
 Claude Stetson  
 Alfred Prescott  
 Arnold Burrows  
 Daniel Hunter

Supervisor of Buildings & Transportation  
 Newport Junior High School  
 Towle High School  
 Newport Junior High School  
 Richards School  
 Richards School  
 Primary School

## Bus Drivers

Frank MacConnell  
 Claude Stetson

Arnold Burrows  
 Daniel Hunter

# NEWPORT SCHOOL BUDGET 1962-63 With Comparisons

	Budget Com. School Board's			Spent 1960-61
	Budget 1962-63	Rec. Budget 1962-63	Budget 1961-62	
District Officers	\$690 00	\$690 00	\$590 00	\$840 00
Salaries Other Admin. Personnel	250 00	250 00	250 00	250 00
Administrative Supplies & Expenses	400 00	400 00	475 00	318 06
Teachers' Salaries	280,789 00	280,789 00	267,831 07	255,980 36
Books & Other Instructional Aids	6,075 00	6,075 00	6,075 00	5,177 34
Scholars' Supplies	10,500 00	10,500 00	8,950 00	10,556 55
Salaries of Clerical Assistants	2,982 00	2,982 00	1,840 00	1,893 80
Other Instructional Expenses	6,634 50	6,634 50	6,677 50	7,035 40
Salaries of Janitors	19,064 00	19,064 00	18,769 00	17,676 06
Fuel & Heat	11,170 00	11,170 00	11,400 00	10,097 39
Lights, Janitors' Supplies, etc.	9,065 00	9,065 00	7,985 00	9,482 48
Repairs & Replacements	7,155 00	7,155 00	6,645 00	5,979 21
Health Supervision	4,850 00	4,850 00	4,700 00	4,237 78
Transportation	10,142 00	10,142 00	9,329 00	8,907 45
Special Activities	3,250 00	3,250 00	3,000 00	3,359 50
Insurance & Bonds	2,997 00	2,997 00	2,600 00	2,762 11
Contingency Fund	2,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00	
New Equipment	6,245 00	6,245 00	6,245 00	6,426 16
Other Legal Requirements:				
Retirement	22,686 82	22,686 82	20,784 50	19,539 35
Per Capita Tax	2,554 00	2,554 00	2,472 00	2,524 00
Tuition	822 00	822 00	3,895 00	3,000 94

Union Expenses:						
Superintendent's Salary	4,039 25	4,039 25	4,167 60	3,853 40		
Administrative Personnel	5,029 00	5,029 00	4,747 20	4,274 20		
Admin. Supplies & Expenses	2,249 68	2,249 68	2,321 16	2,410 78		
Principal of Debt	29,000 00	29,000 00	28,000 00	28,000 00		
Interest on Debt	7,083 75	7,083 75	7,858 75	8,616 25		
Payments into Capital Reserve (School Bus)	2,500 00	2,500 00				
	\$460,223 00	\$460,223 00	\$439,607 78	\$423,198 57		
From Capital Reserve Fund				\$6,337 36		
Federal Lunch Reimbursement				\$3,817 69		

### ESTIMATED INCOME—1962-63

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Rental of Property		\$200 00
Tuition		38,430 00
70 High School at \$435.	\$30,450 00	
38 Elementary at \$210.	7,980 00	
Miscellaneous		300 00
Federal Aid		4,460 00
Home Economics	450 00	
National Defense Education Act:		
Title III—Science, Math, Language	2,260 00	
National Defense Education Act:		
Title V—Guidance	1,750 00	
State Aid		107,650 00
Equalization (Estimate)	*97,500 00	
Building Aid (30% Principal)	8,700 00	
Towle Gym	\$1,500.	
Junior High	\$6,000.	
Jr. High Equip.	\$1,200.	
5% on Tuition Students	(\$29,000.)	1,450 00
		\$151,040 00

\* It should be kept in mind that the amount to be received from State Equalization Aid is not definitely known at this time. If a greater amount than \$97,500 00 is received, the local assessment would be further reduced by the amount received beyond \$97,500 00. If a smaller amount than \$97,500 00 is received, the local assessment would be increased accordingly.

## SCHOOL WARRANT

### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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#### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Newport, in the County of Sullivan, in the State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote in District affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said District on the tenth day of March 1962 at 1 o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the Articles set forth in this Warrant. Articles 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 of this Warrant covering the election of Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Member of the School Board and Auditors will be acted upon at 1 o'clock p.m. and voting will be by official ballot and check lists and the polls will remain open for this purpose from 1 o'clock p.m. until at least 3 o'clock p.m. At 2 o'clock p.m. the remaining Articles will be acted upon.

Article 1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.

Article 2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

Article 3. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

Article 4. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

Article 5. To choose Auditors for the ensuing year. (Two or more).

Article 6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

Article 7. To see what sum of money the District will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of School District Officials and Agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the District, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund, and other state sources, together with other income; the School Board to certify to the Selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the Town.

Article 8. To see if the District will appropriate the sum of \$20,000.00 or any other sum, and to raise the same by the issuance of Serial Notes of the District, in accordance with the provisions of R. S. A. Chapters 33 and 196, for the purpose of increasing the student capacity of the Towle High School Building by remodeling the present Chellis Auditorium—including the installation of a floor approximately midpoint in the present height—and providing the necessary alterations and equipment.

Article 9. To authorize the School Board in the name of the District to enter into contracts, to sign documents and instruments and to do



all other acts and things necessary and proper to carry out any action authorized under Article 8 above.

Article 10. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate \$5,000.00 for the purpose of operating an approved Special Class for retarded children and to authorize the application against said appropriation of any income available from state sources for said purpose.

Article 11. To see if the District will vote to authorize any unencumbered balance accruing June 30, 1962 to be placed in a Capital Reserve Fund to be used toward the purchase of a new school bus.

Article 12. To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to make application for and to accept, on behalf of the District, any or all grants or offers for educational purposes which may now or hereafter be forthcoming from the State of New Hampshire and/or United States.

Article 13. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands this 19th day of February 1962.

HARRY V. SPANOS  
NATALIE N. MOORE  
RICHARD C. DUNCAN

Newport School Board

A True Copy of Warrant—Attest:

HARRY V. SPANOS  
NATALIE N. MOORE  
RICHARD C. DUNCAN

Newport School Board











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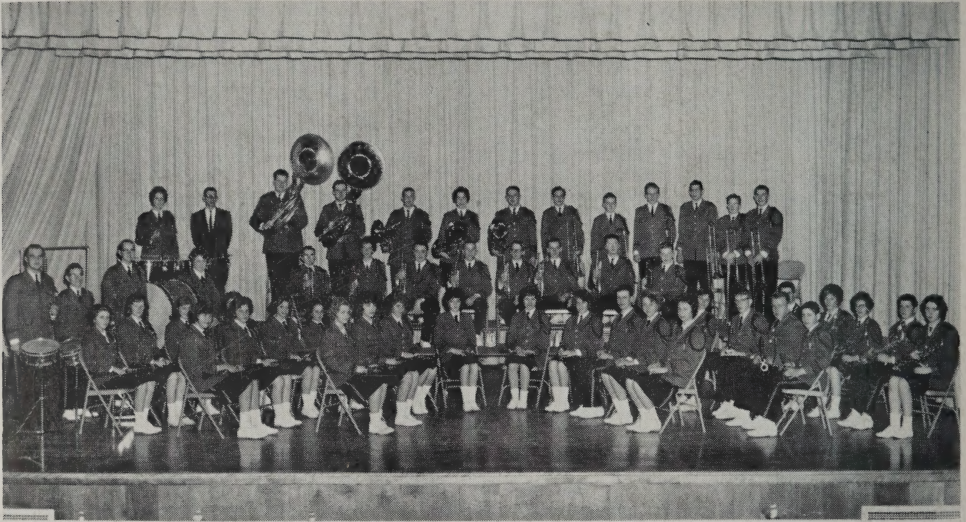
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Natalie N. Moore, Harry V. Spanos, Chairman, Richard C. Duncan

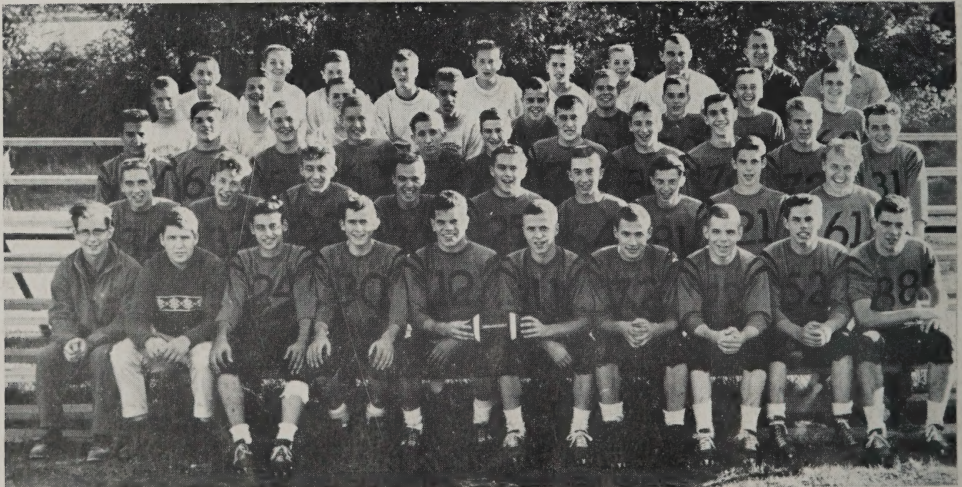
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## Two Fine Newport School Organizations



Newport Schools Concert Band

*(Lawrence Whitney Photo)*



1961 Granite State League Champions

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